

HEARD AND SEEN IN WESTERLY

Foreman James A. Collins Injured at Quarry—Big Block Falls at New Town Hall—Saturday Half Holiday for Granite Cutters—Estimating Damage by Friday Night's Storm.

The postoffice department has issued interesting statistics in regard to the postal savings deposits, of which there are twenty-three in Rhode Island, with deposits of a little over \$93,000, on April 30, 1912. The deposits are to the credit of 370 depositors, with the average of about \$41 per depositor. An average of over three deposits have been made by each depositor. There have been about \$300 withdrawals or an average nine withdrawals to each ten deposits. Of the \$93,000 on deposit, about \$42,000 was deposited in the form of postal bonds having over \$6,000 on deposit, with the approximate amount for each, as follows: \$14,700, Bristol \$5,000, and Westerly \$4,000.

James A. Collins, foreman of the Maurice W. Flynn granite plant, was seriously injured Saturday morning when his right arm was caught between the belt and shaft of an electric motor. The arm below the elbow was crushed and the bones broken. His leg was taken to his home in Springfield. Drs. Scanlon and May were summoned and reduced the fracture and dressed the wounds.

The first accident in connection with the construction of the new town hall and courthouse occurred Saturday. A large granite block was being hoisted into place when the Lewis pin slipped and the rock fell, striking the edge of a large piece of finished granite set over the main entrance to the building, chipping off quite a piece, and breaking in two as it struck the ground. The damaged block over the door, which covered the full length of the entrance, will be removed and another piece will be cut and dressed to replace same. Several workmen heeded the cry of alarm just in time to escape being struck by the large block of falling granite.

When there was negotiation of the five years' bill of prices of the Granite Cutters' union with the Granite Manufacturers' association, two years ago, among the demands of the stone cutters was a half-holiday on Saturday all through the year. A compromise was made whereby the half-holiday clause would not be effective until the first Saturday in June, 1912, so that the prospective contractors up to Memorial day of this year would not be interfered with. Therefore, last Saturday afternoon was the last on which the granite cutters will work during the present five-year agreement.

At the end of that time another agreement, or bill of prices, will be reached between the employers and employees, with the understanding that continuance of the half-holiday will be one of the demands made by the granite cutters.

The electric storm Friday night was perhaps the most severe and persistent that has visited Westerly, when for over three hours the thunder and lightning, with rain accompaniment, was almost incessant. The electric lighting system was seriously damaged. In the case of the city hall, there were no fatalities or fires, though lightning bolts struck two houses.

The roof of the residence of William J. Smith in Springfield was struck, but escaped with slight damage. The residence of Giuseppe Lallina, 101 Canal street, did not fare so well. Here lightning bolt struck the house, tearing off the eavestrough and damaging the roof of the building the entire length. The bolt also evidently went down the chimney, and entered the room in which Mr. Lallina was in bed. Here the lightning seemed to run along the floor, smashing an unoccupied bed about five feet from the one occupied by Lallina, then passing on and out of the northwest corner of the building and by a circuitous route to the ground. The interior of the house was considerably wrecked, plastering being knocked down, windows smashed and door casings and window casings.

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splintered, and articles of furniture damaged. Mr. Lallina says that when the lightning struck he was awake, and that it came with a terrific roar and dazzling light. He said he was partially stunned, but conscious, and was unable to leave the bed for half an hour and that he was totally deaf for over three hours. He felt no ill effects of the explosion Saturday. No lightning resulted from the lightning at either the Smith or Lallina residences.

Postmaster Charles J. Butler, Assistant Postmaster Thomas Lenihan, Clerks Robert Hazard and Richard J. Butler, Jr., and Carriers Thomas Clancy, Robert Montague and Michael Flynn, were guests of the New London postoffice clerks and carriers in Knights of Columbus hall, New London, as were also Assistant Postmaster Beale and Postmaster Potter, and attaches of the Norwich and Mystic postoffices, respectively. There was a banquet followed by a vocal, instrumental and athletic entertainment. Postmaster John McGinley was toastmaster, and at the banquet there were speeches by Postmaster McGinley and Messrs. Beale, Potter, Lenihan and Assistant Postmaster Dow and Carrier Lyman B. Pendleton of New London. At the close of the entertainment the Westerners continued the special guests of Postmaster McGinley and Assistant Postmaster Dow and were shown through the postoffice building and given an insight into the general work of the office. The Westerners delegation did not leave for home until the departure from New London of the 3:40 train.

Local Laconics.
Miss Helen Tufts spent Saturday in Providence.

Daniel A. Sullivan of Boston is visiting Western relatives.

John H. Ray of Stonington was a visitor in Westerly Sunday.

John Groton of Philadelphia, formerly of Westerly, is here on a visit.

William T. May of New London and two sons were guests of Dr. John L. May in Westerly Sunday.

Miss Jessie Keble and Miss Daisy Coon are guests of Miss Coon's uncle, George H. Miller, at the Golden Spur.

Dr. Joseph A. Higgins of Manchester, Conn., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Higgins, in Westerly.

Rev. Dr. John Neale has installed a reflectoscope in the basement of St. Michael's church, to be used in the illustration of lectures.

William Farrell, Michael J. Turano and George D. Fraggis, representing Ireland, Italy and Greece, made a bicycle run to Providence Sunday.

Miss Annie E. Sawyer of Westerly is making satisfactory recovery from an operation for appendicitis performed at a private hospital in Providence.

Charles S. Main and William F. Babcock of North Stonington, as jurors for the term of the superior court which convenes in Norwich next Tuesday.

Members of the civil and Spanish wars observed Memorial Sunday by attending divine service at Grace Methodist Episcopal church in the morning and the First Baptist church in the evening.

Miss Gertrude Gaffney was the winner in the prize essay contest of the Woman's Christian Temperance union open to pupils of Westerly schools.

Reverend Father, Edward J. Bennett, John Morrison, James Shea and Walter Fitzgerald were in New London, Sunday, attending a conference of the societies of the New London county, to plan for a public demonstration of the societies in New London next September.

Mrs. Charles A. Bradford, formerly of Westerly, now of Melrose, Mass., age 75, has presented three nicely bound scrapbooks to the Westerly Memorial and Library association.

Illustrations, King Edward VII, Queen Victoria and George V. The clippings and illustrations are arranged in attractive form.

SCHOLICHER
Firemen Plan for Memorial Sunday—Dr. M. W. Robinson Visits Borough Friends.

Dr. Sylvester of South Manchester was in town Friday.

Fred Clark of North Westchester was caller in town Friday in his runabout.

Mrs. H. H. Brown, Mrs. John Condon and daughter, Miss Caroline Benson, and Myron R. Abell were callers in Norwich Friday in Mr. Abell's touring car.

George B. Gilman left Saturday for a few days at his home in Medford, Mass.

William Johnson and Charles H. Strong were in North Westchester on Friday.

James Purcell, Jr., was in Norwich Friday on his touring car, which has been in one of the garages the past winter.

AGAIN AND AGAIN
5¢
STONINGTON

Prospects of Improved Trolley Service—Lightning Does Much Damage—Topmast of City of Worcester Struck—Ninigret Mills Forced to Quit Business.

Much is being considered of the purchase of the Groton and Stonington Railroad company by Morton F. Plant, as it means the improvement of all shore places along the line and there will no doubt be a continuation of the trolley service between Stonington, Westerly and Providence over the Seaside trolley which was leased a while since from Wickford to Westerly, a section of which route was adopted when the line to Pleasant Point was built. Trolley line service between Providence and New Haven, running through Stonington, a project which it is understood will come for consideration.

To Play Bulkeley.
Manager Russell of the Stonington High school alumni nine has a ball game arranged for Wednesday afternoon with the Bulkeley High school team, to be played on Stanton park.

Looking After Certificates.
State Trust Officer M. D. Marx was here Saturday looking up certificates for children employed in the manufacturing places. No cause for complaints were found.

Addition to Fire Engine House.
The next borough work will be the construction of an addition to Stonington Steam Fire Engine company's house for the housing of the fire engine.

The building has been delayed owing to its being so close to the millpond cases here.

Damage by Lightning.
Lightning of Friday night made that storm one of the worst remembered here in years. At the house of Henry H. Bates, north of the borough, a chimney was torn to pieces and plaster fell from the ceiling and walls, and bricks and brie-a-brac joined from their places. The lightning finally ran down the chimney, and was struck across a table to the sink, escaping by the metal drainpipe. The table was split. Mrs. Bromley was only a short distance from the bolt of lightning which hit the table, but was unharmed.

The main topmast of the steamer City of Worcester in the harbor was ripped and splintered. The second mast of the ship was struck and a big patch of shingles was ripped off and the chimney was partly knocked down.

To Open Season.
Capt. and Mrs. H. Robert Babcock are arranging their bungalow preparing to opening it this week for the season. On June 1 the steamer Watch Hill will begin running between here and Watch Hill.

The boat used as a landing for passengers from the Hoxie yacht, Idalia, from Westerly was installed near the Watch Hill dock in the upper harbor last week. The Idalia will make the harbor her port during the summer.

An Odd Fish.
Capt. James O. Babcock brought in a curiosity in the shape of a limpfish which he presented to P. R. Rimbois, who had it on exhibition last week in his office here. The fish was a bright green and owing to its color was worth \$5 a pound, or even more, and being the first one brought in here in several years made it more valuable.

Last End of Finger.
Frank Shannon, while at work in the shearing department at the American Velvet company's mill here, caught the middle finger of his left hand and had the end cut off.

New Sexton Begins Duties.
Philip Ryley begins this week upon his duties as superintendent of St. Mary's cemetery, taking the place of Michael Longenecker resigned. Mr. Ryley will also have charge of the grounds about St. Mary's rectory and will act as sexton of St. Mary's church.

Patient Recovering.
Manuel Curt, Jr., the smallest patient, is improving rapidly, able to sit up, and it is expected that he will be all over the disease in about ten days. No other cases have been reported. The quarantine is still enforced for a public health.

Ephraim Williams of New York and Miss Clementine Kellogg of Elizabeth, N. J., are guests of Mrs. Stiles Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and son Millard are visiting in Springfield, Mass.

Miss Ann Atwood is entertaining Miss Margaret Smith of Hartford.

John Burns has entered the employ of William Jones.

To Close Up Business.
At a meeting of the creditors held in New York Friday of the Ninigret mill, situated at Mystic, it was decided to appoint a committee to bring the affairs of the company to a close with a view of making as equitable a settlement as possible with the creditors.

The committee comprises several New York men and Otho O'Sullivan of Stonington and Olmstead & Company of New York, all of whom have lost heavily the breakdown being due to a lack of capital to carry the business through the past year and a half of hard times in this line of business, satin faced lining of a high grade. The mill had been doing well up to this time and a prosperous year was being looked forward to. It is hoped that another company will locate there.

Naugatuck.—The seventh anniversary of Naugatuck lodge of Elks was celebrated last week.

Service at Gardner Lake.
W. B. Greenish, pastor of the St. E. church, preached at the Gardner Lake church Sunday morning, and at the local church in the evening.

Norwich.—Frederick Gould of Haverstock was fined \$5 and costs, amounting to \$19, in the Westport justice court, for the charge of withholding possession of a car belonging to John Mulvihill of Sauquoit, which appeared and was released in \$100 bonds for appearance at the next term of the common pleas court at Bridgeport.

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MYSTIC
Union Memorial Service at Baptist Church—Plans for the 30th—Post-office Employees at New London Banquet.

At the Union Baptist church Sunday morning a Memorial sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. Welcome E. Bates. Members of Williams post, G. A. R., A. C. L. Union, Sons of Veterans, Williams Womans Relief corps and Phoebe Packer Bathing tent, Sons of Veterans, were present in a body. It was a union service of the Methodist, Congregational and Baptist churches. The Rev. C. T. Hatch and Rev. A. F. Barnshaw assisted in the services.

On Thursday, Memorial day, the members of the four orders will meet at the G. A. R. hall on Pearl street and will march to the monument, where services will be held. At the graves of the four orders will be the Mystic bridge donors will be strewn on the river to the memory of the sailors. Then trolley cars will be taken for Elm Grove cemetery, where the graves of departed soldiers will be decorated.

Entertained by Postoffice Force.
Postmaster Courtland C. Potter, Clerk William T. Gowan, City Carriers William W. Keigwin, John P. Dougherty, George Griswold, Substitute Carrier Ernest P. Fish and R. D. Carriers Louis Crandall and Frank Wheeler, the force of the Mystic post-office, were in New London Saturday evening attending a meeting and banquet of the postal clerks and carriers.

In General.
Samuel Edgcomb of Providence is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Alden Fish.

Clifford Gates of Florida is spending a few days at the Gates homestead on Hix street.

George P. Spencer has returned from New York.

Frank N. Gillman of New Britain, Ira E. Noyes of New Haven, Roscoe Burrows of Boston, Hiram Burnett of New York spent Sunday with their families in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Grinnell of Bridgeport are guests of Mrs. Ella Grinnell.

Brother and Sister M. Gray of Leyard spent Sunday with Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. Isabella MacKenzie, and left for Providence, where they will attend the wedding of Mrs. Gray's niece, Miss Belle Marshall, and Walter Irving Roffe, which takes place at the South Bay church Tuesday, May 28, at 3 o'clock.

Health Officer Dr. C. F. Condon has quarantined the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, as one of the members of the family has scarlet fever.

New Canaan.—The engagement of Willis A. Weed, son of Frank Weed of New Canaan, and Miss Anna Morgan of Stamford, has been announced. Mr. Weed is one of the ticket agents in the Grand Central station, New York.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
At a meeting of the Court of Common Council held at the Council Chamber on Friday evening, May 24, 1912, the following report of the Committee on Finance was accepted and the resolution accompanying the same adopted: Norwich, Conn., May 25, 1912.

To the Court of Common Council of the City of Norwich:
The Committee on Finance herewith present their estimate of the expenses of the City and of each department thereof during the year ending on the 15th day of May, 1913, and of the receipts for the same period as follows: ESTIMATED EXPENSES.

Department of Public Works—	
Ordinary repairs	\$25,000.00
Outside work	2,000.00
Garbage and refuse	5,000.00
Sewers and catch	2,500.00
Basins	5,000.00
Macadam repairs	5,000.00
Paving and sprinkling	5,000.00
Orchard and trees	1,500.00
Widening Water	
and Shetucket	
streets	2,000.00
Department of Cemeteries—	
Fire Department—	
Water Works—	
Stony Brook Improvement	
Police Department—	
Salaries	\$25,000.00
City of Norwich	2,500.00
Street Lighting	21,000.00
Health Department—	
Gas and Electrical Department—	
Operating and general	\$140,000.00
Interest on bonds	20,000.00
Unexpended balance last year	7,000.00
New improvements	27,000.00
To plant	204,000.00
Park Commission	4,000.00
Finance Department—	
General sinking fund	\$5,510.92
Salaries	4,500.00
Court House	4,500.00
Banking fund, G. & E.	10,612.02
Revenue fund, G. & E.	14,533.71
Interest	60,000.00
Telephone extension	100,000.00
Temporary loans	60,000.00
Milk Inspector	1,000.00
One-third Way	
street loan	9,700.00
Contingent	8,801.26
	180,550.91
	\$617,824.75

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.
Cash on hand May 16, 1912, \$32,218.35
Water Works—\$14,000.00
General—\$4,000.00
From bonds—70,000.00
114,000.00

Department of Public Works—
Town of Norwich, \$18,000.00
Rents—2,000.00
Outside work—700.00
Sparking and painting—3,000.00
ing—3,000.00
23,700.00

Department of Cemeteries—
Ordinary expenses, \$5,000.00
Trust fund interest—3,000.00
7,000.00

Police Department—
City Clerk—\$4,500.00
Licenses—700.00
5,200.00

Gas and Electrical Department—
General—\$25,000.00
From reserve fund—27,000.00
227,000.00

Finance Department—
Temporary loan—\$50,000.00
Court House—2,500.00
Sewers—1,000.00
Bank, and their—3,500.00
66,000.00
To be raised by tax—\$617,536.75

To meet the expenditures called for by the above estimates, a tax of ten mills on the last city list will be required, said list being \$1,200,000. In addition to the above estimated amount for ordinary purposes, the Committee on Finance have been requested by petition and otherwise to bring before the annual meeting for its action estimates for the following purposes:

A sewer from a point on Water street 50 feet west from the west line of Shetucket street to the manhole in Market street.

A sewer from a manhole on Lafayette street at the end of the present sewer north of the point about 100 feet south of the Shetucket street.

A sewer from a manhole at Dunham street and house on the south side of the Shetucket street.

Paving Franklin street with Huxham pavement from Bridge street to Turner's pond.

Improving Lake street dump for playground.

For macadamizing or paving Washington street.

Building wall and establishing grade on Shetucket street.

Extending the sewer line on North Main street.

Land required to straighten building line on Franklin street.

Widening and macadamizing Schenck street.

Extending the sewer line on Swanwick Mill to Turner's pond.

The total of these several estimates is \$413,347.00 requiring an additional tax of three mills on the grand list.

Resolved, That the report and estimates of the Committee on Finance be accepted and approved; that the Clerk cause the same to be published as required by the amended charter; and that the mayor or, in his absence, the senior alderman present, be directed on behalf of the Court of Common Council to submit the estimates embraced in this report to the next city meeting to be held on the first Monday in June next, and to recommend that a tax of ten mills be laid on the last perfected grand list of the city to meet the ordinary expenses of the city for the ensuing year.

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